

WE CLAIM:

1. A brickmoulding for use on the perimeter of windows and doors for receiving siding, comprising:

5 a rectangular portion comprising a width, a length, said length being greater than said width, and a thickness, said rectangular portion further comprising a bottom surface and a top surface, said bottom surface for overlying a building structure;

10 a flange portion carried in approximately parallel relationship by said bottom surface of said rectangular portion, said flange portion extending beyond said width of said rectangular portion; and,

15 a channel for receiving siding, said channel being formed between said flange portion and said top surface.

2. The brickmoulding of claim 1 wherein said top surface further comprises a decorative portion extending from and carried by said top surface.

20 3. The brickmoulding of claim 1 wherein said channel further comprises therewithin a step portion adjacent the

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bottom of said channel, whereby the channel so formed may cooperatively receive either of two differing thicknesses of siding.

5 4. The brickmoulding of claim 1 wherein said flange is formed integrally with said brickmoulding.

10 5. The brickmoulding of claim 1 wherein said flange is affixed thereto adjacent said bottom surface by a fastening means.

6. The brickmoulding of claim 5 wherein said fastening means comprises a cooperating barb and kerf.

15 7. The brickmoulding of claim 5 wherein said fastening means comprises a nail.

8. The brickmoulding of claim 5 wherein said fastening means comprises a screw.

20 9. The brickmoulding of claim 5 wherein said fastening means comprises an adhesive.

10. The brickmoulding of claim 1 wherein said flange further comprises pre-formed holes or openings to receive a fastener.

11. The brickmoulding of claim 1 wherein said brickmoulding comprises cellular polyvinyl chloride.

12. A fenestration for receiving siding in association with an architectural structure, comprising:

a fenestration frame;

a brickmoulding affixed to said fenestration frame for receiving siding, comprising:

a rectangular portion comprising a width, a length, said length being greater than said width, and a thickness, said rectangular portion further comprising a bottom surface and a top surface, said bottom surface for overlying a building structure;

a flange portion carried in approximately parallel relationship by said bottom surface of said rectangular portion, said flange portion

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extending beyond said width of said rectangular portion; and,

a channel for receiving siding, said channel being formed between said flange portion and said top surface.

13. The fenestration of claim 12 wherein said top surface further comprises a decorative portion extending from and carried by said top surface.

14. The fenestration of claim 12 wherein said channel further comprises ~~therewithin~~ a step portion adjacent the bottom of said channel, whereby the channel so formed may cooperatively receive either of two differing thicknesses of siding.

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15. The fenestration of claim 12 wherein said flange is formed integrally with said brickmoulding.

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16. The fenestration of claim 12 wherein said flange is affixed thereto adjacent said bottom surface by a fastener.

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17. The fenestration of claim 15 wherein said fastener comprises a cooperating barb and kerf.

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5 18. The fenestration of claim 12 wherein said flange further comprises pre-formed holes or openings to receive a fastener.

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10 19. The fenestration of claim 12 wherein said brickmoulding comprises cellular polyvinyl chloride.

FOOTNOTES  
20 20. A brickmoulding for use on the perimeter of windows and doors for receiving siding, comprising: a rectangular portion comprising a width, a length, said length being greater than said width, and a thickness, said rectangular portion further comprising a bottom surface and a top surface, said bottom surface for overlying a building structure, said top surface optionally further comprising a decorative portion extending from and carried by said top surface; a flange portion carried in approximately parallel relationship by said bottom surface of said rectangular portion, said flange portion extending beyond said width of

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said rectangular portion; and, a channel for receiving  
siding, said channel being formed between said flange  
portion and said top surface, said channel further  
comprising therewithin a step portion adjacent the bottom of  
5 said channel, whereby the channel so formed may  
cooperatively receive either of two differing thicknesses of  
siding.

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